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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: EEC, COMECON, EEWT  
SUBJ: EC FOREIGN MINISTERS COUNCIL, JUNE 21, 1977: REPLY  
TO CEMA

REF: BRUSSELS 6131

1. THE JUNE 21 EC FOREIGN MINISTERS COUNCIL APPROVED THE  
TEXT OF THE COMMUNITY'S REPLY TO THE OLSZEWSKI LETTER  
PROPOSING DIRECT TALKS BETWEEN THE EC AND CEMA. THE REPLY  
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IS EXPECTED TO BE TRANSMITTED TO THE POLISH GOVERNMENT  
WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

2. EC COMMISSION OFFICIAL WHO DEALS WITH STATE TRADING  
COUNTRIES (MASLEN) HAS INDICATED TO MISSION OFFICER THAT  
THE LETTER PROPOSES A SEPTEMBER MEETING IN BRUSSELS TO  
DISCUSS MODALITIES FOR NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES.

(ALTHOUGH NOT SPECIFIED IN THE LETTER, THE EC PREFERS TALKS IN MID-SEPTEMBER TO AVOID BOTH THE END OF SUMMER HOLIDAYS AND THE CONVENING OF THE SECOND BELGRADE CSCE MEETING.) WITH RESPECT TO THE EC REPRESENTATION ISSUE (PARA 4 REFTEL), THE EC HAS DECIDED THAT THE CEMA COUNCIL PRESIDENT (WHO SHOULD BE ROMANIAN DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER MARINESCU AT THAT TIME) WILL BE MET BY BELGIAN FOREIGN MINISTER SIMONET, WHO WILL THEN HOLD THE EC COUNCIL PRESIDENCY. SIMONET WILL THEN INTRODUCE THE CEMA REPRESENTATIVE TO EC COMMISSION VICE PRESIDENT WILHELM HAFERKAMP, WHO WILL CONDUCT THE ACTUAL TALKS ON BEHALF OF THE COMMUNITY. ALTHOUGH NOT SPECIFIED IN THE LETTER TO OLSZEWSKI, THE EC INTENDS THAT TALKS SHOULD BE HELD IN THE COMMISSION BUILDING. MORRIS

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